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FIRST MIXER FRIDAY NIGHT

The first mixer sponsored by the Community College of Philadelphia, will be held Friday, November 12, in the school basement. Music will be provided by a 4-piece combo that has performed for La Salle and Temple mixers. The dance will begin at 8:00 and last until midnight. Sodas will be sold, and pretzels and chips will be provided.

The tickets are now on sale on the second and third floors for one dollar each. Students are allowed to buy two tickets if a guest is coming.

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The sole purpose of this mixer is to help you get better acquainted with your fellow-students, not to show off your girlfriend or boyfriend. Since tickets will not be sold at the door, it is urged that all students buy their tickets now.

Dress for the dance is informal. Girls are expected to wear casual dresses or skirts and sweaters, and the boys, slacks and sweaters or sports jackets.

The success of this dance depends on the attendance of the student body; come, and make this event a great success.

DR. BONNELL SPEAKS ON ACCREDITATION

When will we become accredited? What do the area colleges think of CCP? Dr. Allen T. Bonnell recently commented on many items related to our freshmen class.

Prior to accreditation, certain steps must be followed. Presently, CCP carries the designation given to a new institution, Certified Correspondent. We have met all minimum requirements of an accredited institution by the Middle Atlantic States Association. A visitor-consultor from the Borough of Manhattan left our school November fifth, and will return every six months, until the graduation of our first class to chart our development. A team of consultants will enter our school during the summer of 1967, to accredit CCP officially. Until this time, it is assumed that all local

colleges will accept our credits.

Area colleges respect us as a growing institution. They have known Dr. Bonnell for the past 18 years and respect him as an experienced educator. If they were offended at all by our appearance on the educational horizon, it is due to the fact that we were "stealing" some of their best professors.

Dedication ceremonies are temporarily set for the beginning of February. Lectures for cultural enrichment are being planned; however, they will not start until next semester.

Because five percent of our enrollment will be composed of students from adjacent counties, Philadelphia residents will be able to enroll for courses in other Community Colleges.

GRADE REQUIREMENTS DISCLOSED

Nov. 8. - Mr. John F. Clough, assistant to Dr. Bonnell, stated today that a student should achieve at least a 1.6 average by the end of the first quarter. If the student fails to achieve a 1.6, he will be placed on academic probation for one quarter. A student will not be expelled the first quarter for a below average performance but will be given a chance to improve. On the other hand, Mr. Clough quite firmly stated that many students who start out badly will lose interest and may even disappear without bothering to take final examinations. These are the students who will be missing from school next term.

DR. SHERWOOD'S VIEWS

In a discussion concerning the establishment of fraternities and sororities, Dean Sherwood questioned the actual need for the organizations. Dr. Sherwood explained that with the many clubs being set up, there is no need for social organizations as such. He also pointed out that fraternities and sororities would cost the students a great deal of money. There have been some suggestions by the students to sponsor a poll concerning fraternities and sororities. This poll (con't page two col. three)

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Activities and Clubs

During the first two months of school, students have initiated a variety of clubs and activities. The following is a brief list of clubs or activities and their faculty advisors:

Bowling.....	Miss. G. Boyd
Dramatics.....	Mr. R. Lawson
Football.....	Mr. J. Clough
(See Danny Goldberg & Mike Keen)	
French.....	Mrs. R. Ahgazarian
German.....	Mr. R. McDonough
Spanish.....	Mr. S. Larrier
History.....	Mr. B. Mergen
Literary Magazine.....	Miss. K. Chang
Music (Jazz, Folk, Serious).....	Mrs. C. Ready
Newspaper.....	Miss. R. Biggs
Philosophy.....	Mr. T. Katen
Student Action Committee.....	Mr. S. Jaffe

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Nov. 10	French Club met in room 311.	Subsequent meetings will be announced.	
Nov. 11	S. A. C. meeting in basement		12:00
Nov. 12	Spanish Club	Room 316	11:00
	Drama Club	Room 308	11:00
	Bowling Club	Penn Center Bowling Center	5:00 - 5:30
		18th & Market	1:00
	Radio Amateur Club	Room 411	8:00 - Midnight
	Mixer	Basement	
Nov 13	Temple - Gettysburg Game; CCP Students invited	Temple Stadium	free
Nov. 15	History Club	Room 202	4:00
Nov. 16	Open Student Body Meeting Room to be announced		11:00
	Literary Magazine Meeting Room to be announced		11:00
	S. A. C. Meeting	Room to be announced	12:00
Nov. 17	German Club	room 313	11:00
Nov. 18	Newspaper Meeting	Room to be announced	9:00
Nov. 23	Music Club (general meeting)	Room 316	3:00

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	Melinda Mayne, Emil Palladino
Faculty Advisor.....	Robin Biggs

DR. SHERWOOD

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will be taken by the newspaper staff within the next few weeks and the results will appear in a future edition.

Concerning a code of dress, Dean Sherwood stated that this will be left up to the students, but the students must remember they are representing the school. Dr. Sherwood also said there will be as many mixers as the students want.

STUDENT GOVERNMENT

At the first meeting of the students interested in student government, the following conclusions were made: Two committees were to be set up, the Student Government Committee composed of fifteen members, and a Social Committee composed of nine members which would plan the social activities. An Executive Committee was established to act as a coordinator between the two.

The purpose of the Student Government Committee is to unite the student body through the student government, by means of a constitution. This purpose was established at the first meeting and is the ultimate reason for the committee.

A preamble and a general outline of the entire constitution have been written. The members have been studying the constitutions of other area schools for suggestions.

General meetings will be held regularly in order to report progress to the student body. At this time the students will vote and express their opinions. All suggestions are welcomed and encouraged. The constitution will have to be approved by the majority of the students in order to become official.

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One of the least understood organizations in our school is the Student Action Committee, better known as S.A.C.. The organization was established to give the student body a means of expressing their views.

Initiated by the students, S.A.C. presents ideas to the Social and Government Committees, and considers problems that do not fall under the jurisdiction of the other bodies. Their main concern now is the Mixer. Members are helping the Social Committee with ticket sales, selling sodas, and cleaning up. Many of the posters throughout the school were made by members of S.A.C..

A problem being considered by this committee is the dirt on the walls in the lounge areas and around the escalators. The administration is also working on possible solutions.

S.A.C. has no officers and is open to the entire student body. In this way it is hoped that all who want to do something for the school will have the opportunity.

STOP!

This is not an editorial viewpoint, but one of the many suggestions received in our "Name the Newspaper" suggestion box. Here are some of our other favorites quoted word for word:

"GET SOME KOOL RECORDS IN A JUKE-BOX DOWN IN THE CAFE, LOVE" First, we're not in charge of the "kool record" department. And second, the staff sends their love back.

"WHY DON'T YOU PUT A JUKE-BOX IN THE CAFETERIA. YOU WOULD MAKE A LOT OF MONEY WITH IT, AND, IT WOULD MAKE THE TIME BETWEEN CLASSES PASS QUICKER AND IT WOULDN'T BE SO BORING. We suggest you learn how to spell quicker during your boring hours.

"I THINK IT WOULD BE A GOOD IDEA TO HAVE A JUKE-BOX IN THE CAFETERIA" We think it would be a good idea to convert the language lab into one huge juke-box!

"LET GIRLS WEAR SLACKS" Sure, and let the boys wear kilts!!!

Hello Everyone,

I'm Dizzy Dee, a reporter on the newspaper staff of the Community College of Philadelphia. Yes, you guessed it! I am one of you, a typical college freshman with big ideas and an empty pocket. For some reason or another, I always seem to know everything that's going on around here.

(Could that be because I am a girl?)

Anyway, I suppose I should tell you my real purpose in speaking with you. Here we are introducing you to our first mimeographed news release. Already we have run into an obstacle: our paper lacks a name. Something must be done quickly. Therefore, as a member of the staff, I am asking you to help give our paper a name.

On the second floor, near the bulletin board, sits a blue and yellow box, labeled, "Suggestions". We welcome your ideas. Remember, our paper is your paper, so help support it as much as possible. Besides, who enjoys reading "nameless" news?

By the way, this isn't for girls only. We'd like to hear the fellows sound-off, too. After all, women can't come up with the right answers all the time. (Smile fellows, people will think you're up to something.)

So...please, come to our rescue and answer our plea.

See you later,
DIZZY DEE

P.S. This column is open to suggestions.

IN MEMORY OF

EDWARD T. BARBONE
Died
October 18, 1965

Biology Students Visit Academy

The Academy of Natural Sciences presented an introductory program to CCP biology students on Monday and Tuesday, November 8 & 9. Mr. J. Merrill, head of the Education Division of the Academy, delivered a lecture on Evolution, Taxonomy, and Ecology to 425 students.

Mr. John Bodine, President of the Academy and a member of the College Board of Trustees, recommended this program to the Chairman of our Biology Department, Dr. E. Flick.

"Mr. Merrill was very much pleased with the response and attention of the students," commented (cont. in col. two)

Dr. Flick, adding, "I thought the highlight of the lecture came when Socrates, (a horny owl) escaped and flew around the auditorium."

The Literary Magazine is sponsoring a contest for a title for its publication. \$5.00 will be awarded for the winning title. Suggestions should be placed in the box on the second floor no later than November 30th. Remember to sign your name.

WIN \$5.00